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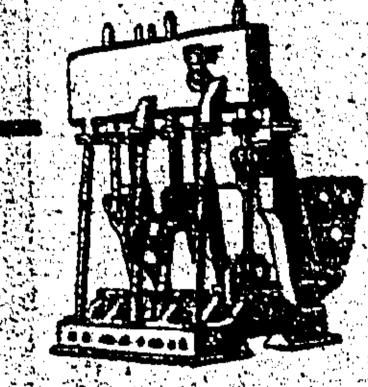
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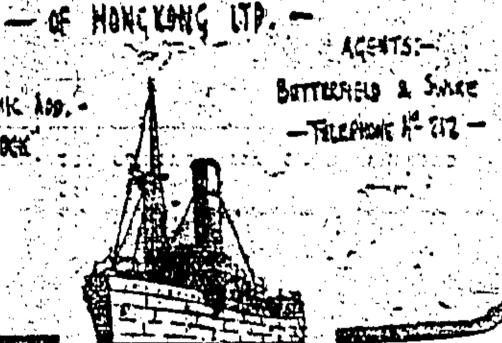
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LABOUR'S WAR AIMS.

YIEWS OF LABOUR MEMBER OF THE WAR CABINET.

LONDON, Mar. 18.

essentials, compared with the Prime Gothas brought down were burnt. Minister's statement of war aims. Mr. Barnes regretted the indis- other Gothas were wounded. criminate tarring of all pations with the same brush as regards colonisation, which was unjust to the British policy during the past century. Self-determination with us and the Overseas communities had been fact and not a mere phrase. Even respecting Egypt and India, selfdetermination was an ideal to be

"In a League of Nations," said Mr. Barnes, "lies the hope and that Dr. Seidler's participation in the safety for mankind." The docu- negotiations at Bukharest is due to ment, however, was somewhat the fact that Austria, spart from chacure as regards the form of sanction, and safety depended on it.

applied opportunely or developed on

the basis of education and experi-

The League of Nations should be in a position to use an economic boycott or international police to preserve peace. Mr. Barnes confessed that a League of Nations would conflict with the idea of national sovereignty, but the ghastly alternative was another war. If civilization wished to survive, must find means for averting another

As regards the German colonies he pointed out that Mr. Lloyd George had repeatedly declared that they would be held at the disposal of the Peace Conference, whose decision must have primary regard to the wishes and interests of the native inhabitants.

Finally, Mr. Barnes said that he wished there had been a more direct appeal to the peoples of Germany to free themselves from militarism.

> CHARACTERISTIC ANZAC THOROUGHNESS.

SUCCESSFUL AUSTRALIAN RAIDS.

LONDON, Mar. 12. Reuter's Correspondent at Britis Headquarters says:-

The Australian raids, mentioned in a communiqué, occurred in sta light at two points, considerably apart, and was a characteristic Anzac affair, marked by their usual thoroughness.

Enemy guns are gradually increasing and new amminition dumps are being found and bombed by our airmen, but artillery expansion is no

During the past week the superior-

ity of our airmen was wonderfully demonstrated. From the 1st to the 10th instant we crashed two machines in our lines and 8's behind the German lines, and brought down 40 out of control, whereas only 15 of our machines did not return. Moreover, fresh records were created during this period for bombing, reconnectring and photography. In the fighting we dropped 10 late. Mr. John Redmond.

bombs to the enemy's one.

THE FATE OF THE AALAND

Loxdon, Mar. 12. Germany has announced that she does not intend to annex the Asland Islands, whose fate will be decided by agreement with Sweden

THE AIR-RAID ON PARIS.

HEAVY DEATH ROLL

Paris, Mar. 12. In the air-raid the victims were 84 killed and 79 wounded, also 66, The Rt. Hon. G. N. Barnes, mem- chiefly women and children, were ber of the War Cabinet, in an inter- asphyriated, lowing to panie, at an view regarding the Labour-War Aims underground station. Six were killed Memorandum, stated that it con- and seven wounded at an hospital. tained little difference as regarded. The crew of one of the four-seater

BOLO'S APPEAL FAILS.

alive, while most of the crew of the

Paris, Mar. 18. The appeal of Bolo and Porchere has been rejected.

THE RUMANIAN PEACE TREATY

AUSTRIA INSISTS ON FRONTIER RECTIFICATIONS.

AMSTERDAM, Mar. 12. A telegram from Budapest states Hungary, is insisting on Frontier

> GERMAN ULTIMATUM INEFFECTIVE

rectifications_

DEPORTEES FROM LIVONIA NOT RELEASED.

LONDON, Mar. 12. The deportees from Livonia, mentioned yesterday, are still under arrest, despite the German ultima-

M. TROTZKY.

PETROGRAD, Mar. 12. M. Trotzky remains at Petrograd, and will not participate in the Moscow Congress.

THE SITUATION IN IRELAND.

VISCOUNT FRENCH'S TOUR. LONDON, Mar. 12.

In the House of Lords, in a debated raised by Lord Salisbury on the Irish situation, Lord Curzon stated that the Rt. Hon. Mr. H. E. Duke had the unqualified support of the Government. The Chief Secretary (Mr. Duke) delayed action until the offences became a criminal conspiracy against the elementary conditions of civilization. The results of the military measures in Clare and other districts had so far been effective.

Cattle driving had ceased in Clare. The sezure of land was being prevented and arrests were being effected without difficulty.

Viscount French, after a tour, had). reported that the measures were having a good effect. The military would remain as long as it was necessary to enforce the law.

NEW LEADER OF IRISH

MR. JOHN DILLON ELECTED.

Losbon, Mar. 12. Mr. John Dillon has been unanimously elected Chairman of the Nationalist Party, succeeding the

(Continued on Eage 6.)

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THE THIRTY-SECOND TEARLY GENERAL MEETING OF THE

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CANTON MEDICAL MISSION-ARY SOCIETY will be held at the Canton Club Theatre (by kind permiasion), WEDNESDAY, March 20, 1918,

at 3.30 P.M. BUSINESS :- To receive the Annual Report of the Directors of the Canton Medical Missionery Union and to consider any other business ! bught before the meeting.

> J. M. WRIGHT, M.D., Secretary.

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TWENTY-NINTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATUR-DAY, the 23rd day of March, 1918, at '1.30 o'clock in the forenoon for the ourpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1917 and declaring a Dividend

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 14th March, 1918, actil SATURDAY, the 23rd March, 1918, both days inclusive.

1918, both days inclusive. By Order of the

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Hongkong, Mar. 5, 1918.

TIE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

The ORDINARY YEARLY

METING OF SHAREHOLDERS

will be held in the Office of the Company,

Queen's Buildings, Hongkong, on

MONDAY, 25th March, 1918, at 12 Noon,
for consideration of the Directors'

Report and Statement of Accounts for
the year ending 31st December, 1917.

The SHARE REGISTER and

TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED

from the 16th to the 25th instant, both from the 16th to the 25th instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors. R. M. DYER, Uhief Manager.

Hongkong, March 13, 1918.

CHINA SUGAR" REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE FORTIETH " ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, on WEDNES-DAY, the 27th instant, at 11.30 A.M. for the purpose of receiving the Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1817.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the

Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to 27th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LTE. General Agents. Hongkong, Mar. 6, 1918.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FORTY-NINTH ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the Unders igned at 11 A.M. on WEDNESDAY, the 27th instant.

The TRANSFER BOUKS of the Jompany will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 27th instant, both days inclusive.

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Hongkong, Mar. 9, 1918.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE THIRTY-SEVENTH ORDIN ARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the General Managers at Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th instant to receive a Statement of the Company's Accounts to 31st December, 1917, and the report of the General Managers. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Couping will be CLOSED from the

13.h to 27th instant both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATEESON & Co., LTD. General Managers. Hongkong, March 7, 1918.

NOTICE.

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Firm of A. R. MARTY, RENE SALLE, Successor, has as from the 12th February, 1918, sold to Messrs. P. A. LAPICQUE & Co., the S.S. "HANOL" which insures the Postal Service between Frongkong and Haiphong, and also the right to use the name of A. B. MARTY. Compagnie de Navigation Tonkinoise. The business will hereafter be carried on by Messrs. P. A. LAPICQUE & Co. No. 4, Queen's Building, Telephone 950.

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Hongkong, Mas. 2, 1918.

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G. A. DREAPER, Deputy Surgeon-General. R. N. Hospital, Hougkong, Mar. 12, 1918.

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(2) The Allies would be left with the crushing burden of their own unprecedented war expenditure. (3) Germany would retain her gigantic war profits, which are infinite-

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value. Germany has secured transportable booty in the shape of :-(1) Hamas material for labour.

(2) Immense quautities of war material, rolling stock, and means of transport. The Belgian railways alone are worth £120,000,000. (3) Horses, cattle and foodstuffs

generally. France alone the Germans seized ages :-

and all kinds of industrial plant. (6) Movable objects, such as furniture no indemnities." Points of his analysis and implements of all kinds, of which of German war profits have been given the occupied territories have been in the Times

(7) Works of art—stolen from the churches, museums, and private indiviyears the domain of German militarism duals in Belgium, France, Foland, and

square kilometres, inhabited by 68,000,000 (8) War contributions levied in the of people, to an area of 3,600,000 form of fines, forced loans, and taxes. square kilometres, containing 180,000,000 The amounts thus secured run into hundreds of millions sterling. Russian Soviets "No annexations, no ties. Everywhere the Germans have

indemnities" formula on March 28 was inspired by German agents. Its acceptance would mean:

(1) Germany would keep her grip on her essential territorial acquisi
(2) Germany would keep her grip of £24,000,000.

MILITARY POWER

to evacuate Russia, Poland, Serbia, and any renewal of such a war. France, she would still control sufficient population to give her-who has mobilised 20 per cent. of her own and of her allies' populations—a total armed force of some 30,000,000 men, with an annual military contingent of nearly 1,400,000 men. Thus, the domain of

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truction by the Allies is the chief and indispensable war aim, would be nay, has been-immensely extended.

Germany's economic gain by the war, mineral oils, iron, copper, wool, cotton. Government, he argues that it can claim In the industrial towns of North-Eastern to have secured the following advant-

> the German military system and of the German aristocracy; to have carried on "defeatist" propaganda in Allied countries and by Allied journals—a propaganda sufficiently effective to have contributed to the breaking of the Italian front; to have spread a belief in the nearness of peace, and to have hidden behind a general peace discussion the preparations for the offensive against Italy. Hence, in view of the

Recognition of the Society of Nations;

THE EXPLOITING OF BUSSIA. In conclusion M. Cheradame deals with the possibility of the economic exploita-tion of Russia by Germany, and the steps already taken by Germany to secure control of the Russian markets. Placing

To have brought about a state of (5) The materials of industry-motors, anarchy in Russis that has facilitated machine tools, dynamos, models, looms the taking of Riga and the conquest of the Baltic; to have secured the discussion of the "No annexations no indemnities" formula in Allied countries. without allowing Allied Socialists to suspect that the application of the formula would ensure the triumph of

present situation, Germany feels that she risks nothing by offering to negotiate" on the following basis:

As the "Frankfurter Zeitung" insisted on December 30, 1916, "negotiation is Dealing with the economic dependence not a synonym for renunciation; and of Germany sallies, the writer shows that once negotiations are begun, they can be all the military effectives between Ham- used to divide the Allies and finally to burg and Mesopotamia would be practically centralised under the supreme direction of Berlin. The employment of Bulgarian and Turkish soldiers against ly the German formula of which the Italy is a sign that the scheme is already being carried out, and another sign is must oppose to it, the democratic and the scheme is already being carried out, and another sign is must oppose to it, the democratic and the scheme is already being carried out, and another sign is must oppose to it, the democratic and the scheme is already being carried out, and another sign is must oppose to it, the democratic and the scheme is already being carried out, and another sign is must oppose to it. the proposed employment of Austro- formula of Restitution, Reparation, and Hungarian forces on the Western front. Guarantees—that is to say punishment -The application of the military scheme | for crimes committed, reparation of would mean that, even if Germany were damage done, and guarantees against

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The D.P.P., Mr. McCabe Reay, stated for a "discharge certificate" which would enable him to obtain a passport to leave the country. Defendant told Lieut.-Col. Tyte that he wished to join His Majesty's forces and go to the Front and, according to what had come to light since, this was cheating. Defendant owed the M.S.V.R. Corps \$50, and Col. Tyte, pelieving defendant, gave him full and clean receipt for that sum, and without that discharge certificate defendant could not have left the country. It was therefore a valuable document. The only point at issue would be what was really in the mind of defendant when he induced Lieut. Col. Tyte to give him that discharge certificate. There was evidence that defendant was heavily indebted when

informing his creditors that he was going. he was divisional manager of Sungei who is doing it, which is related in t Sembilan Estate, Jeram. He had got " Daily Chronicle." leave from his estate for six months from January 6th, on half-pay. In June or July last he was refused by the M.O. in Singapore for Home Service. Three months later he applied again and was again refused. He had a fall and sustained partial paralysis of the shoulder. He produced letters from Dr. Hennessy, and Dr. Black, of Singapore; the latter, in his last letter, strongly advising defendant to go Home at once if the

he left the country; there was also

left the country in a hurry, without

the muscles of his shoulder. He was arrested in Hongkong and kept in the Police barracks for seven days in a cell fifteen feet by ten feet. He had no what we did before." heavy clothing with him, and it was very cold. He went back to Kuala Lumpur of his own accord and at his own expense, were either unwilling or unable to tell 200,000 public eating places—hotels and week instead of having far more than because the authorities in Hongkong and him why he had been arrested. The Hem-stitched Sheets, Pillow Cases, Bed | Chief Detective Inspector in Hongkong Quilts, Table Cloths, Pure Linen Damask, told him he might have to wait several weeks in Hongkong. tioned by the D.P.P., he said he engaged a solicitor of the firm the copy of a telegram to the authorities in Singapore, asking for specific charges for his arrest. His solicitor would not send this telegram. He asked him upon more than one occasion to do so, but he His solicitor said: -" Do nothing." He then, in an interview with the Chief Detective Inspector, suggested that he should come back here, and the Police assented, so he came back. Continuing, defendant said he had not paid Mr. Murray, as he had not sufficient funds to pay everybody before he went Home, but he had told Mr. Murray, some considerable time ago, that he was going Home. He had not left the service of the estate. He was going Home on six months' leave. His normal leave was not due until April next, but his General Manager had allowed him to go earlier, on account of the injury to the muscles of his arm.

The D.P.P. suggested that defendant's reason for returning from Hongkong, of his own free will, was becruse he had a guilty conscience, and thought it best to hurry back to Kuala Lumpur to hush matters up. Defendant denied He said he did all he could in Hongkong to find out the reason for his arrest, but having failed to do so, and his solicitor having failed Teakwood Twin Beds, Teakwood also, he thought the only thing to do was to come back. He had never been taken before a Magistrate during his detention. in Hongkong.

After a short deliberation the Mazistrate intimated that he had decided to acquit defendant, and he was accordingly discharged.

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INTERVIEW WITH MR. HOOVER.

in America, of which Mr. Hoover is the domands. Meanwhile Americans are charged by the Kuala Lumpur Military head, has been compared as being equal being urged to use corn meal—that is, Authorities, at the instance of Lieut. Col. in importance to that of the War Depart- maize meal-instead of flour. Corn meal Tyte that he, on the 6th January, com- ment. Certainly, in the circumstances, cannot be experted, Americans are used to mitted the offence of cheating by falsely it is of no less importance, for while it as food, and there is an ample supply. representing that he wished to leave the the Army will do its share by the side of This year's crop was a bumper, amount-F.M.S. In order to join His Majesty's other armies, the Food Administration ing to over 3,000 million bushels. This forces at the Front, and that before leave has the unparalleled task of producing great supply of maize, while helping to ing he would settle all his liabilities to and supplying food to enable the Allies economise in wheat flour, is also giving the M.S.V.R. and therefore dishonestly in Europe to go on fighting, while at the tremendous assistance in the provision of 'Induced Lieut.-Col. Tyto' to supply him same time it safeguards the provision of extra fats and meat. food for its own hundred millions of population. The significance of all this that on Jan. 9th defendant approached the is brought home by the fact that the war A few lots of Brass Ware, Glass Commandant of the M.S.V.R. and asked has produced a condition of things in abundance. Moreover, producers are which there is not at present enough being stimulated by a minimum price for food being produced in the world to feed the world. It is the task of Mr. Hoover to organise the resources of America, so as to get enough food to Europe to make

up the deficiency. had to be swiftly educated to it. Ideas many daily comforts and luxuries on the other have to be elimidated from the expectations of all American people. That is one step towards conservation of present supplies. Sweeping agricultural measures for an increase of wheat land next year and for the increase of breeding stock are another side of the work. Radical re-organisation of railway transit in food-producing and distributing areas s an incidental. The whole country is being probed, stimulated, regulated to save food and produce more food. Mr. Harold Douglas Moffat, defendant, said Frank Dilnot had a talk with the man

WHAT THE ALLIES WANT. Mr. Hoover went to the root of the matter at once. "The Allies want from us 600 to 700 million bushels of grain, to get that down to 67lb., and there is instead of the normal pre-war amount of good prospect of success." 120 million bushels. We are trying to meet that by stimulating production. reduced consumption and by cutting down the supplies we have usually sent to other | Chicago to concentrate operations on paralysis was getting worse and see a good medical man in London, regarding countries. We are doing that cutting thoroughly. The meas-situation is pretty

in which the saving of food is being from those in other zones, and thus the brought to accomplishment. There are available cars are spread over the entire restaurants, and among them there is a they can do on the first two days. This very wide acceptance of one wheatless day and one meatless day a week-and this means not so much the imposition of of a hardship as the difficulty of establish-Stevenson. He personally drafted out ing a habit, for on meatless days chicken and fish are available, and on wheatless 200,000 establishments are instructed every few weeks by special bulletins in methods of saving food not only by choice of menu but also by means of preparation. There is a variety of detailed guidances.

"So far as private families are concerned," said Mr. Hoover, "we have instituted a nation-wide canvass. Two hundred thousand volunteer women workers are visiting households giving advice and asking adhesion to the food saving plan. Each woman has a group of households under her care. Twelve million out of seventeen million households have signed cords that they will co-operate."

The effort resolves itself largely into SHOULD NOT BE NEGLECIE! a careful choice of food rather than an abstinence-except in a few instances notably that of sugar. An instance of different kind of method is given connection with the large consumption eyes scientifically and fit of sweets, " candies," as they are called glasses to individual rehere. Enough sugar was being used up in "candies" to provide Britain with her entire war, supply. Mr. Hoover stopped altogether, the supply of sugar to the manufacturers of candies for a period, and they are now getting rationed percentage. Though there is as yet only general indication of the results of the educational compaign and the public co-operation there is an indication from one important district that 25 per cent. of wheat flour is being saved. This may be general, but it is too early yet to say definitely. Mr. Hoover expressed himself as appre-

ciative of the efforts being made England by the Government in the direction of food saving. It is by the conservation of the Allies no less than by the efforts here which will solve the difficulty, he said.
THE FOUR ESSENTIALS.

America's efforts are directed principally, towards the provision of four essentials for the Allies, namely, wheat, mest lists and anger. Bo fer as wheat is

concurred there has been a concerted effort to increase screage. This year the erop was 668 million bushels, which is below the average. It is hoped that owing to the increased acrosge the crop next year will be 1,000 million bushels. The work of the Food Administration This will provide sufficient to meet

Fat hogs are greatly to be desired. The fattening properties of maize are extraordinary, and hogs are getting it in a fixed period on hogs, which gives assurance for the future, prevents immediate sale of smaller pigs because owners realised they can be quickly fattened to a greater weight, and that for these It is a colossal task. This country has bigger animals they will get this minimum price by weight. (The of big profits on the one hand and of minimum, it should be said, is a highone.) One result is the encouragement to keep large breeding stocks and increase production. There will be tremendous additions to the stocks of pigs in a short time, and this means not only meat, but the all-important fats. Steps have also been taken by Mr. Hoover to increase the production of cattle. Female calves sent to the slaughter-house are picked out and

> With regard to sugar, there is a great effort being made to secure adequate supplies. One example is the fact that for the first time sugar is being brought from the Philippines as well as from the other sources. Meanwhile Americans, like Europeans, are being asked to limit them; selves. The ordinary consumption is 90lb, per person each year. It is desired

> returned to be used later on for breeding

Here is an example of the kind of work Mr. Hoover is doing in this matter. It has been the custom in the great livestock handling districts such as that round Mondays and Tuesdays, and as this was prevalent everywhere it can easily seen how traffic was disorganised by the similar; we have to export four times attempt to handle a week's live-stock in two days. Under the system now set up by Mr. Hoover food operators in each Mr. Hoover rapidly ran over the ways railway zone are given different days

far as food is concerned by at least three. It remains to be-said that in his multifarious activities Mr. Hoover has secured the enthusiastic co-operation of the American people generally and that there is manifested in all the cities a keen co-operation and a sense of sacrifice that days delicious commest bread. These is a truly heartening signal to the Allies being fon the other side of the Atlantic.



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is building at an even greater rate.

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the announcement of the completion

aggregating 121,000 tons. Moreover,

we were told that the Shipping

Board officials estimate that 23 ships

totalling 188,000 tons will be delivered

in March and that the authorities

are confident that there will be

a continuous o monthly increase in

Kingdom and the United States alone

can provide between them 7,500,000

tons of new shipping in twelve

months (as the respective author-

ities estimate) the Allies will be able

their maximum." Yet the

the United States

materialises."

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To-day's Advertisements

THE UNIVERSITY OF HONGKONG.

MATRICULATION. SENIOR AND JUNIOR LOCAL EXAMINATIONS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that these Examinations will commence en MONDAY, July 8th, 1918. Arrangements will be made to hold the Examination at any town where a sufficient number of candidates offer evidently doing something to remove themselves. Candidates who wish to "be examined at any other place than

Forms of entry and all particulars the end of the month of February can be obtained on application to the Registrar, The University, Hong- we had the Labour member of the

the Registrar on or before April 2nd.

The entry form, duly filled in, must reach the hegistrar, together with the the House of Commons that as fee (Ten Dollars, Hongkong Currency) regards shipbuilding "America is on or before May 2nd, 1918. The following Scholarships and Prizes will be awarded on the results of the course of an appeal to the men in Matriculation Examination, provided that candidates of sufficient merit offer the British shippards "to put their themselves:

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(c) Four cash prizes of \$100 each (Hong- when they recognised that their kong Currency).

Candidates who secure King Edward VII or President's Scholarships or cash ground for complaint would disappear prises must enter the University on the day on which the University session. opens and must reside in one of the hostels directly managed by

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THE PUBLIC IS HEREBY NOTI-I FIED that in the event of an Up Goods Train being required it will leave Kowloon at 12.05 p.m. SATURDAYS only. This Train call at Taipo and Sheung Shui and will have a First-Class Coach attached for the convenience of the Public.

As it is not the intention to insert further notice regarding this train. intending passengers are advised obtain definite information which will to available at the Head Office on and after Thursdays of each week. This Train will be despatched on SATUR-DAY, March 16th.

By Order. H. P. WINSLOW, Dianager.

Kowloon, 14th March, 1918.

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THE CALENDAR.

GENERAL MEMORANDA,

MONDAY, Mar. 18:-

5.30 p.m. Annual Moeting of Members of Hongkong Club. TUEDAY, March 19:-

2.30 p.m. Auction of Teakwood and Blackwood Furniture &c. at Mesers. Hughes & Hough's 2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household

Linens at Hughes & Hough's. BATURDAY, Mar. 23:-M.3U s.m. Groon Taland Coment Co. annual meeting.

MONDAY, Mer. 25 :-12 Noon-Annual Meeting of Hong | invited to sttend kong a Whampos Dock Co.

to consider that the output will considerably outbalance any losses it for use in connection with a job hi it now in the power of the enemy to inflict.

Dr. Earle, of the University, is to read a paper entitled, Body and Soul at a meeting of the Church of England Men's Society to be held on Tuesday next at 9 p.m. in St. Pauls College. Members and friends are cordially

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The annual meeting of the Finance Committee of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals takes place tomorrow at noon in the Chamber of Show, held under the suspices Commerce Room, Chartered Bank the Hongkong Horticultural Society Building.

The following telegram, dated the cerebro-spinal faver.

Senior and Junior Local Examinations in a most satisfactory climax, sa will commence on Monday, July 8th was evidenced by the opening next. The announcement appears day of the show, to-day. The show will among our to-day's advertisements.

Ipoh at the beginning of the month, was experiencing an overpower tionally fine, despite the dry and cold

Tukwans or their representatives which Thu American publicity agencies are ing to march on the capital) is now first and three second prizes; likewise trying to arrange.

the idea that the United States is Hongkong or Shanghai must apply to not likely to come up to expectations Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals begs various sections. in the matter of shipbuilding. At to acknowledge with thanks the following donations to the funds of the special mention; one of the judges, who Hospitals :--

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failing us." This was said in the is unable to come to Hongkong to arduous task of Hon. Secretary at conduct the Special Mission at the the eleventh hour. In view of this backs into it." If America had not Catholic Cathedral. The Rev. Father fact, and also that Mr. Dowbiggin J. M. Fraser has, however, very kindly has had no previous experience in an BONAR Law on the 28th ult. had week, and will commence on Wednesday the 20th instant, instead of on Sunday as previously announced.

"very disappointing" largely owing appreciation in connection with the ness of the position, confident that recent disaster at Happy Valley, conveyed in the Consul's letter of the 5th work was as vital as fighting, the March.

In the matter of economy in paper The First Lord of the Admiralty in one of our dependencies beyond the seas, his recent speech emphasised that says the Daily Chronicle, sets us a com-Great Britain must rely "in the mendable example. A communication coming critical period" upon her just received from the Federated Malay own construction. "for unquestionably States comes enclosed in a wrapper made from an old Government rent roll and considerable time must elapse balance sheet, wherein was set forth the 240 before the desired American output rent paid by Ching Wu Singh, Lo Wang Sir Eric Gendes Khob, and other estimable tenants, as that Great well as the exact amount of money—in Britain could ultimately produce gold, silver and copper—in the Govern-3,000,000 tons of shipping annually, ment chest 30 years ago.

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Pot Plants, Open :-- Mr. Ho Kom Tong Pot Plants, Peak Garden only:-Mr. A. H. Harris (Heliotrope)

Vegetables, Open :- Mr. A. Nicol Cut Flowers, Open :-- Mr. A. Nicol (Sweet Peas). Cut Flowers. Peak :-- Mr. H. and delivery in February of 17 ships Looker (Sweet Peas).

> THE MAGISTRACY. BURGLARY IMPLEMENTS.

A Chinese pleaded not guilty when

shipbuilling, reaching a total output implements at Youmsti. It was stated that the defendant was searched as he was found standing under a verandah at Temple Street about one o'clock this morning and pair of pincers and an awl were found in his possession. A quantity of pawn tickets for female clothing was also found on him.

Defendant said he bought the too friend had offered him. Mr. Wood remanded the case until

A LIFE SAVER. TTis sain to eny that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholers and Diarrhoes Remedy has saved the lives of more people and relieved more suffering than any other remedy in existence known all over the civilized world for

HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY Annual flower and vegetable

CHOM.

The Annual Flower and Vegetable in the Botanical Gardens, and opened to-day, can undoubtedly, be 13th March, has been received by classed as one of the most successful the Government from His Britannic ever held in the Colony. Despite an Majesty's Consul at Swatow :- Quaran- overeast sky in the morning, the san tine on arrivals from Hongkong for came out later on, making the atmosphere just sufficiently warm to be comfortable. All concerned have reason to The University of Hongkong congratulate themselves, the efforts that the Matriculation, officials and exhibitors culminating also be open'to-morrow from 2 p.m. till 6 p.m. 1

The exhibits, this year, were excepseason, aggravated by wind during the illness in the town. A temperature of past few days. The flowering plants, 97 degrees in the shade was common especially from the Peak district, were every afternoon, says the Times of of a very high class, and there were fifty more entries, totalling about 200 pots more than last: year. In the other "Further developments" are ex- classes, the entries were about the same pected in the political situation in in number as last year, but of better China as a result of a Conference of quality. In all, there were 61 exhibitors. In section 1, Sir Paul Chater was the Mukden Tuchun (who is threaten- particularly successful, gaining eight Mr. Ho Kom Tong, who secured seven first and 8 second prizes. Mr. Chan The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice King Yue was also very successful in

> The Vegetable classes are worthy of has only recently arrived from Home, expressed the opinion that the exhibits were equal to any seen in home shows.

Special mention must be made of We are informed by Bishop Pozzoni | the services rendered by Mr. H. B that the Rev. Father Patrick Devine L. Dowbiggin, who took over the consented to take the place of Father office of this nature, all praise is due Devine. The Mission will last for a to him for the successful manuer in which he has carried out his selfimposed task....

The band of the 18th Infantry 'Mr. V. M. R. de Sousa, the Consul rendered an excellent programme of for Portugal, has received from the music during the afternoon and tea Colenial Secretarist a letter from the was supplied by the Hongkong Hotel Commodore's Secretary conveying the Company, who is generously giving thanks of the Commodore, on behalf of half the proceeds to War Charities. the officers and men of H. M. Navy and Later in the afternoon, His Excelment took steps to inform the Dockyard, for their kind resolution of lency the Governor and Miss May visited the Show and at 5 o'clock Mrs. H. W. Looker, in the absence of Lady May, distributed the prizes. THE OFFICIALS.

> The Officials are: Mr. H. W. Looker (President), Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin (Hon. Secretary), Mr. L. N. Leefe (Hon. Treasurer). The Committee consists of Mrs. Newall, Mrs. W. J. Taylor, Mrs. Aubery, Commander Beckwith, R.N., and Messrs. W. J. Tutcher, T. E. Pearce, Evan Ormiston, A. Nicol and B. A. Nicholson.

THE JUDGES. The Judges were: - For Peak Pot Plants, Mr. F. C. Butcher and Private Austin: Peak Cut Flowers, Mr. A. Nicol and Private Hill; Open Pot Plants, Mr. H. W. Looker and Private Hill; Vegetables, Peak and Open, Mr. W. J. Tutcher and Sergt. Jackson; Cut Flowers, Open, Mr. W. J. Tutcher and Private Austin; General Classes, Mesers, W. J. Tutcher, H. W. Looker, F. C. Butcher and Privates Hill and Austin; Table Decorations, all the Judges. Mr. A. Morley also assisted

DONORS TO PRIZE FUND. H.E. Sir F. H. May, K.C.M.G. Major-General F. Ventris, G.O.C., Commodore H. G. G. Sandeman, R.N., Hon. Sir C. P. Chater, C.M.G., Hon. Mr. D. Landale, Sir B. Ho Tung, Lady Ho Tung; Hon. Mr. Lau charged before Mr. Wood this morning Chu Pak, Hon. Mr. Ho Fook, Mrs. with being in possession of burglary H. G. Murray Scott, Mrs. A. M. Dalziel, Mrs. D. Templeton, Mrs. J. Scott Harston, L. N. Leefe H. W. Looker, N. J. Stabb, & D Wilkinson, T. E. Pearce, B. Basto, T. C. Downing, E. Ormiston, J. Taylor, W. L. Pattenden, A. E Harris, H. B. L. Dowbiggin, G. C. Moxon, H. Hancock, H. W. Bird. Ho Kom Tong, Chou Po Sien, Wong Kam Fuk, Leung Yan Po. S. Newal!, A. H. Skelton, A. Nicol and C. E. H. Beavis.

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Plants in Pots-Open to all except Peak Gardens and Chinese Market Gardeners.

1.-8 pots of Marguerite (Chrysanthemum frutescens) :- I. Mr. Evan Ormiston: 2. Mr. Chun King Yue. 2.-3 pote of Nasturtium (Tall varietics) :- I, Ladies' Recreation Club; 2, Siz Paul Chater. 3.-B pots Salvia :- 1, Kowloon Cricket Club; 2, Sir Paul Chater.

*4.-6 pots of Annuals or plants raised from seed the same sesson (excluding Nasturtiums):-- 1, Mr. Evan Ormiston; i, U.S.H., Club.

*5.-3 pots of Flowering plants other than annuals (excluding Marguerites) :-1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Sir Paul Chater. Ho Tung; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 7.-2 pots of Arums:-1, Sir Paul

8.-3 pots of Begonia (semperflorens) Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 9.-8 pots of Carnations and/or Picotees:-1, Chun King Yue; 2, Mr. Ho

Kom Tong. 10,-B pots of Dianthus; excluding Shaw arnation and Picotee:—1, Hon. Mr. Landale: 2, Ladies' Recreation Clab. 11.-3 pots Cactus Dahlias:-No award 114,-8 pots Peony Dahliss:-1, Mr

Evan Ormiston. 13,-3 pots of Dahlias, other than Cactus or Peony :-- 1, Hon. Mr. D. Landale; 2, Lady Ho Tung. 13.-3 pots of Heliotrope:-1, Mrs. fordan; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 14.-3 pots of Larkspurs:-1, Mr.

Evan Ormiston. 15 .- 3 pots of Maiden Hair Ferns :l. Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

154 .- 3 pots of Ferns, distinct varieties excluding Maidenhair:-No award. 16.-3 pots of Freesia:-1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mr. Evan Ormiston. 17 .- 3 pots of Geraniums :- 1, Sir Paul Chater; 2. Ladies' Recreation Club; highly commended, Mrs. Stabb and Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 8

Kom Tong; 2, Lady Ho Tung. 19.-3 pots of French Marigolds:-1 Mr. Jerdan; 2, Chun King Yue.

20.—3 pots of Pot Marigolds, (calendula officinalis) :- 1, Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mr. Ho Koni Tong., 21.-3 pots of Nasturtium (dwarf

varieties) :- 1. Sir Paul Chater; 2. Mr. Evan Ormiston. 22.-3 pots of Petunias:-1, Sir Paul Chater : 2, Ladies' Recreation Club. 23,-3 pots of Pansies and/or Violas:-1. Mr. Evan Ormiston; 2, Hon. Mr. D.

Landale. 24.-3 pots of Phiox Drummondii;-1, Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 25.-3 pots of Primula :-- 1, Mr. Ho Scott Harston ; 2, Mrs. Newall.

26,-3 pots of Roses :- Award of merit, 2. Sir Robert Ho Tung. 27.-8 pots of Violets:-1, Mrs. Stabb; 1. Mr. H. W. Looker: 2, Mrs. Edc. . Mr. Ho Kom Tong; highly commend-

28.—3 pots of Verbena:—1, Sir Paul 89.—6 Parsnips:—1, Mr. A. H. Har-Chater; 2, Mrs. C. Makeham. 29.-3 pots of Tropacolum Canadriensis:-1, Mr. Evan Ormiston; 2, Mr. Ho 30.-8 pots of Linaria:-1, Mr. Ho

Kom Tong. 31.-3 pots of Clarkia:-1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

Plants in Pots-Peak Gardens only. 32.-8 pots of Marguerite:-1, Mr. H. W. Looker; 2, Mr. W. Sinclair; highly commended, Mr. L. N. Leefe.

33 .- 3 pote of Tall Nasturtium :- 1, Mr. L. N. Leefe; 2, Mr. A. H. Harris. 34 .- 8 pots of Dwarf Nasturtium :- 1. Mr. N. L. Watson; 2, Mrs. C. M. Ede. *85,-6 pots of Annuals , or Plants' raised from seed the same season (excluding Nasturtiums) :- 1, Mr. H. W. Looker; 2. Mrs. H. W. Bird; highly commended, Mr. N. L. Watson. *30.-3 pots of Flowering plants, other than annuals (excluding Marguerites) :-1, Mr. L. N. Leefe; 2, Mrs. Newall.

37.-U pots of Petunias:-I, Mrs. E. C. Newall; 2, Mrs. Murray Scott. 38 .- 0 pots of Antirchinum :- 1, Mr. L. N. Leefe; 2, Mr. H. W. Looker. 39.-3 pots of Arum:-1, Mr. N. L. Watson: 2. Mr. H. W. Looker.

40.-3 pots of Cactus Dahlias:-1 40A .- 8 Dots of Peony Dahlias -- No

41.-8 pots of Dahliss, other than Cactus or Peony :- Award of merit, Sir Robert Ho Tung. 42 .- 3 pots of Ferns, distinct varieties

(excluding Malden Hulr) :-- No award. 48 .- 8 pots of Freesia:-1, Sir Robert Ho Tung; 2, Mr. N. L. Watson; highly commended, Mrs. Ede 44.-8 pots of Germiums:-1, Mr. W Sinclair; 2, Mr. C. D. Wilkinson. 45,-8 pots of Heliotrope:-1, Mr. A

H. Harris; 2, Mr. N. L. Watson. 48 .- 8 pots of Larkspur :- Award merit, Mr. A. H. Harris. 47.-8 pots of Pot Marigolds (Calendula W. J. Hill, Mrs. Newall and Mesers, officinalis):-1, Mrs. Aubrey; 2, Mrs. Murray Scott 48.-8 pots of French Marigolds:-1

> 49. 3 pots of Maiden Hair Ferns -1 Ira. Ede: 2, Mrs. Murray Scott. 50.—8 pots of Mignonette:—1. Mr. Wataon; 2 Mr. H. W. Looker. 51.-3 pote of Verbena :- 1, Mrs. R. 1 Dyer: 2. Mr. A. H. Harris -52 -0 pots Pansies and/or Violas:-Mr. H. W. Looker; 2, Mr. H. B. 65. - 6 pots of Phlox Drummondii :-

Mrs. Gale; 2, Mr. A. H. Harris.

Commodore Sandemair: 2. Mr. N. 54.-B pots of Roses :- No award. 65. - 8 vots of Lineris. - I. Mr. N. Watson: 2, Mrs. R. M. Dyer. 56, 8 pots of Carnations and or Pic

for Distillus (excited struction and Picotos) -1 Mr. H. Looker, 2; Mr. L. N. Leefe.

SECTION & Vegetables, etc.—Open to all except. Peak Gardens and Chinese

Market Gardeners, *58.-Collection of vegetables (not less than (six varieties) :- I, Mr. Ho Kom

Tong; 2, Mr. A. Nicol. 59.-25 pods of French Beans :- 1, Mr. Chun King Yua; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 60,-6 bests:-1, Mr. W. Hardwick; Mr. A. Nicol.

81.-25 Brussels Sprouts:-1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mrs. G. M. Shaw. 82.-f. Cabbages :-- 1. Mr. Evan Ormiston; 2, Mr. Chun King Yue. 63.-4 Cauliflowers or Broccoli :- 1.

Lady Ho Tung; I, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 84. 6 Carrots :- 1, Mr. A. Nicol; 2. Mr. W. Hardwick. 85.-4 Heads of Celery :-1, Mr. W 8,-3 pots of Antirrhinum's-1, Lady Hardwick; 2, Chun King Yue; highly commended, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

> Lady Ho Tung. 87.-6 Lettuces (cabbage varieties) :--Lady Ho Tung: 2. Mr. Chun King

"86 .- 6 Leeks .- 1, Mr. A. Nicol; 2,

68:-6 Lettuces (cos varieties) :--1, Mr. Chun King Yue; 2, Mrs. G. M. long; 2, Mr. A. Nicol.

70.-6 Parsnipe:-1, Mr. A. Nicol; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 71.-25 pods of Peas:-1, Mr. A. Nicol; Lady Ho Tung.

72,-12 Potatoes:-1, Mr. A. Nicol; . Lady Ho Tung. 73.-25 Radishes :-- 1, Mr. Ho Kom Fong: 2, Mrs. G. M. Shaw. 74.-4 Savoy Cabbages:-1, Mr. A

Nicol: 2, Sir Paul Chater. 75.-12 Tomatoes:-1, Mr. A. Nicol Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 76 .- 6 Turnips:-1. Lady Ho Tung;

2. Mr. Chun King Yue. 77 .- 2 Vegetable Marrows :- 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mr. A. Nicol.

Vegetables, etc.—Peak Gardens only. *78.—Collection of vegetables, not less 18.-3 pots of Mignonette :-- 1, Mr. Ho | than aix varieties :-- 1, Mrs. Ede ; 2, Mr. . Scott Harston.

> 79 .- 25 pods of French Beans :- No 80 -6 Beets:-I, Mr. H. W. Looker; 21 Mr. C. D. Wilkinson.

81.-25 Brussels Sprouts:-1, Mr. A. H. Harris; 2, Mr. H. W. Looker. 82.-4 Cabbages :-- 1. Mrs. H. W. Bird: 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin; highly

commended, Mr. Harris and Mr. J. Scott Harston. 83.-6 Carrots:-1, Mrs. H. W. Bird; 2. Mrs. Ede. 84.-4 Cauliflower or Broccoli:-1, Mr.

J. Scott Harston; 2, Mrs. Bird. 85,-1 Heads of Celery :- 1, Mr. J 86,-6 Lecks:-1, Mr. H. W. Looker;

88.-6 Lettuces / (cos) enrieties) :-1 The Matilda Hospital: 2, Mrs. Bird.

ris : 2. Mrs. Ede. 90.-15 pods of Pess:-1, Mrs. Ede 2. Mr. Harris; highly commended, Mrs. V. G. M. Fletcher. 91,-25 Radishes:-1, Mr. H. Looker; 2, Mr. J. Scott Harston. 92.-12 Potatoes:-1, Mrs. Ede;

Mrs. Newall. 93.-8 Tomatoes:-1, Mr. A. H. Harris: 2. The Matilda Hospital. 94.-6 Turnips:-1, Mr. C. E. Besvis; 2, Mr. J. Scott Harston. 95 .- 2 Vegetable marrows :- No award. Special Class for Rhubarb :- Award of

merit, Mr. C. D. Wilkinson. BECTION 5. Cut Flowers-Open to all except Peak Gardens and Chinese Market

Gardeners. *96.-12 bunches of Cut Flowers, six distinct varieties, not more than two varieties of the same kind :- 1, Ladies' Recreation Club; 2, Mr. Evan Crmiston: *97.-6 bunches of Sweet Peas, containing 15 stems each (one or more blooms on each stem), only one colour and/or variety in each bunch :-- 1, A

*98.-8 Red and/or Ping Roses :-Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mrs. Stabb. *90 .- 0 White and/or Yellow Roses :-No award.

A. Nicol; 2, Sir Paul Chater.

Makeham; 2, Mr. J. J. Harrington. Sir Paul Chater. Michielman 22, Sir Paul Chater.

*1024.-6 Peony Dahlias :- No award, #103. - 8 Dahliau other than Cactus or Peony :- 1. Sir Paul Chater; 2. Mr. R. . Nicholson. *101 -6 bunches Mignonette:-1. Mrs.

Jordan: 2, Lady Ho Tung. --*106 bunches Nasturtium (not les than four distinct colours) :- 1. Mr. A. Nicholson; 2, Mr. Evan Ormiston. *100.-12 Panales:-1, Sir Chater; 2, Lady He Tung.

SECTION O.

Cut Plowers Peak Gardens daly *108 6 bunches of Sweet Peas con taining 10 stems each (one or mor blooms on each stem) :- 1, Mr. H. W Looker . 2. Mrs. Newall.

*100.-0 Red and/or Ping Roses and I Mr. T. F. Pearce; 2, Mr. A. H. Harris *110 .- 3 White and/or Yellow Bonce:-Mr. T. E. Pearce. 7112 -3 Roses any colour:-1, Mr.

E. Pearle

*112.-6 Carnations, and/or Picotect Iward of meril. Mr. T. E. Pearce. *118.-- U bunches of cut flowers, dis tinch varieties .- I Mrs. Ede . 2. Mrs. Newall : highly commended Mrs. Griffin. "It4. G Casthe Dahlias -- No award *114a - 6 Peony Dahliss - No sward:

*115 .- 0 Dahling other than Caston ;-

No sward. #116.-6 Conches Nasturtium, not least than four distinct colours, and not more than 25 blooms in each bunch; 1. Mr. N. L. Watson; 2, Mr. L. N. Leefe.

*117.-12 Punsies :-- 1, Mr. H. W. Looker: 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin. *118.—3 bunches of Violets (not more than 25 in each bunch) :-- 1. Mrs. Aubrey; 2, Mrs. Newall.

*119.—8 bunches of Mignonette (not more than 12 in each bunch) :- I. Mr. N. L. Watson; 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin. SECTION T.

General Exhibits-Open to #1]. *120.-2 Ladies' Flower sprays and 2 Gentlemen's Button Holes -1, Mrs. J.

J. Harrington; 2, Miss V. Scanlan. *121.-12 Cut Roses :- 1. Mr. R. A. Nicholson. *122.—Best Wedding Bouquet :-- Awant

of merit, Mrs. J. J. Harrington. *129.-1 vase of Cut Flowers (to be judged for decorative effect) :-- i. Hon. Mr. D. Landale; 2, Mrs. O. Maksham.

*124.—Besket of Cut Flowers for children between the ages of 7 and 15 89.—12 Onions:—1. Mr. Ho Kom aid:—1. Miss June Locker; 2. Miss Ormiston.

*125.—Best Table Decoration .-- I. Mrs. J. J. Harmington; Miss V. Scanlan; S. Mrs. Densbury.

*126.—Display of Cut Flowers grown by exhibitor :- 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; highly commended, Mr. A. Nicol. *127.-3 pots of Single Daffodils:-1, Mrs. Griffin: 2, Mr. A. Nicol. *128.-3 pots of Double Daffodils:-

No first; 2, Mrs. H. W. Bird. A129.—Group of Bulbs (excluding Narcisus Tazetta) :- Award of merit, Mrs. H. W. Bird.

*130.-3 pots of flowering plants, of a kind not included in the Society's list of plants previously exhibited :- 1, Mr. A. H. Harris; 2, Mr. A. Nicol; highly commended, Mrs. D. E. Clark.

* Presented prizes.

SWATOW EARTHQUAKE.

It is now definitely established that the earthquake of February 13th was nowhere felt more severely than in the vicinity of Swatow. We have just received the following notes on the subject from the Rev. R. W. R. Reutoul, of the E.P. Mission, Sam-bo, neas Swatow, who was travelling at the time in the

"I was in Fdloo when the first and the greatest shock was experienced. 87.-8 Lettuces (cabbage varieties) :- Just at the time I happened to be returning through the fields from an evangelistic tour. The first indication of something unusual was a dull rosning noise like the grinding of Chinese millatones. In a minute, or rather in a few seconds, the whole ground was shaking violently. The thing which seemed to catch my eye most, to the exclusion of nearly everything else, was the sight of the water partly filling two fields close at hand, breaking into waves and dashing about as though boiling violently; the sound of it could be heard quite distinctly. On my way back, I had an opportunity of observing the extent of the damage (if any) done to the various houses. There was not a house that had not lost some tiles, but in other ways, different houses were affected in widely different ways. Many lost huge slabs of plaster, many had the walls cracked and split and one bad an opening from roof to ground quite two feet wide as whole piece of the wall having crashed down. There were quite four distinct shocks during the day and five during the night, but none equal in intensity and violence to the

"Onmy way from Tu lin to Shangkong. was able to form some ides of the extent of the earthquake's direction. Every here and there slong the road men could be seen in the villages mending the roofs of the houses. But houses in many places had almost the whole roof stripped bars of tiles. One or two houses out of the straight were propped up and everywhere the subject of *100 .- 3 Roses any colour :- I. Mrs. speculation was the cause of earth. quakes." At Shangkong I found that *101.-6 Carnations, and/or Picotees: a part of the City wall had fallon near the West gate. Houses were less *102.—6 Cactus Dahlias:—I. Mr. R. damaged here, but the roofs of many had suffered and as to all the other places to which I had been the oldest inhabitant could not remember ever having experienced a shock anything like it. At Samho the shock was very much worse and it was quite evident to me as I returned, that the nearer we got to Swatow and Chaochowin, the greater was the damage done. A number of houses in Samio vore badly cracked, tiles fell in countless numbers, plaster crashed to earth and the people generally got a bad scare. *107.-0 bunches of Violets:-1, Kow- The result is that workmen of any kind con Cricket Club; 2, Mr. Evan Ormis are very difficult to be had just now

I have since had a chee with several natives of Vongu who were there when the earthquake was felt, and it seems that there, too, the shock was of mansual severity, but little real damage was done. It is perhaps now unnecessary. to speak of the great damage done at Chaochowin. I lead from reliable sources that not a house escaped some damage and a great number were completely ruined. The injured were in hundreds, but fortunately I believe the killed were under 200. It is difficult to get hold of facts, however, to anch cases. Shocks have continued to disturb the peace of the population every day since in this place, and yesterday morning the same rouring sound and sort of double shock of great severty was felt; but no damage ercept of chinor out was done?

TELEGRAMS.

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THE POLITICAL TROUBLE IN SPAIN.

INTERNATIONAL SITUATION

UNCERTAIN. MADRID, Mar. 12:

'Although the resolute War Minis--Ber, Senor Lacierva, has carried the by by having the Military re erganisation schemes primulgated by Royal decree, the Promier, Senor Garcia Prieto, will probably insist on submitting them to the Cortes, -which case long and excited debates

are expected. The question resolves itself largely into a contest between the military and civil power in which the Army evidently supports Senor Lacierva.

The bearing of the conflict upon -the International situation remains to the Ministry of Food, stated that uncertain.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE WESTERN FRONT.

SUCCESSFUL RAID BY AUSTRALIANS.

LONDON, Mar. 12.

· Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig Anstralian troops carried out successful raids on hostile posts eastward and north-eastward of Messines. They killed a number and took a few prisoners.

Our casualties were light. There was reciprocal artillery activity south-eastward of Armentieres and eastward and north-eastward of Ypres.

GERMANY "PARDONS" IMPRISONED AVIATORS.

GREAT BRITAIN NOT SATISFIED.

LONDON, Mar. 11.

been pardoned. Great Britain has replied that she is has arrived in England. mot satisfied in that connection, because it is not admitted that any offence was interest they will proceed to France. committed. Further explanations are swaited and enquiries are being made of the Mission were educated at Harrow regarding the camp to which the officers and Woolwich. have been sent, whether they have arrived and regarding their treatment. Germany caused the greatest enthusiasm

MOMENTOUS SITUATION IN BIBERIA.

DISCUSSION IN JAPANESE DIET.

Tokio, Mar. 9. In the House of Representatives, saked wnether a request had been received from the Allies to send troops to Siberia, the Foreign Minister replied in the negative and stated "that an exchange of views was proceeding regarding which disclosure would be

The leader of the Opposition complained that the Government was not taking the people into its confidence. He favoured military action in Russia. but the presence of Japanese might result in driving the Russians toward Germany unless it was done with the

greatest precaution. The Premier replied that no decision Nuneston. Warwickshire, 1866 to 1867. had yet been come to regarding the St. Mary's, Gateshead, 1867-1870; Vicar despatch of troops to Siberia and the Government was dealing with a momentous situation with the utmost care.

-WAR CABINET'S HISTORY FOR 1917

"A MOST INTERESTING RECORD."

LONDON, Mar. 12. The War Cabinet's history for 1917, issued to-day, forms a most interesting ent complexion upon the reported "capand important historical record. It also ture recently of 200 German recipes for shows the tremendous labours and sniline dyes. Mr. Green says:—
"The visit of the expert, Mr. Bowe, to

schievements of the Government and amphasises that the whole character of the war was gradually changed last ture, with which some picturesque year, involving the complete transforms- imagination has saddled him. Only one tion of the British administration, and process, for the manufacture of a brilregarding unrestructed submarine war- limit green dye, was actually examined. fare, the document frankly admits that The publication of such articles tends the enemy had been able to maintain to make us ridiculous in the eyes of the enemy had been able to maintain our enemies, spart from the moral the rate of sinkings reached in February opprobrium which such questionable adventures incor."

Allies would have been largely para [It was announced in the Daily Mail] lysed. The Navy, however, proved that a group of British textile merchants triumphant, and the document contains had discovered the secrets of German much to give confidence that the worst aniline dyes, which was regarded as " one has long since passed. The document of the greatest industrial achievements cienis fully with Imperial affairs, the Imperial War Cabinet, the War Conference and the constitutional develorment of India.

A MILITARY REVOLUTIONARY COMMITTEE IN PETROGRAD.

LONDON, Mar. 12. An undated message from Petrograd states that in consequence of the departure of the Commissaries to Moscow, a Military Revolutionary Committee has been formed in Petrograd, presided over

by M. Trotaky. An anothemy against the Bolsheviks was read in all the churches Typhus fever in Petrograd is in-

GREEK ROYALISTS CHANGE OF PICE.

ATHENS, Mar. 19. Evidently the supporters of ex-King Constantine consider their cause lost. They now say that the Venizelos policy is the best for Greece." The forces of reaction have been in Russia and Rumania.

TORPEDO-PROOF VESSELS FOR FRANCE.

: Bams, Mar. 12. The Government has contracted for the construction of a large number of vessels of a type which experiments have shown can be torpedeed three times without sinking.

FOOD RATIONING IN ENGLAND.

ECONOMY MAY EXCLUDE BREAD AND FLOUR.

bondon, Mar. 12. In the House of Commons, Mr. J. R.: Clynes, Parliamentary Under Secretary appropriated as follows:necessary preparations were being made for rationing bread and flour if necessary, but he hoped that if great economy were exercised such rationing would be avoided or long postponed. He also stated it had been decided not to reduce

FURTHER RESTRICTIONS ON BREWERS.

LONDON, Mar. 12.

the sugar ration.

In the House of Commons, replying to suggestions that the production of beer and whisky should be stopped or further reduced, in 'view of the food the Company's Articles of Association, for browing materials would be reduced

Recently, 150,000 tons of barley was taken from the brewers and maltsters and a further 200,000 tons would be saved by restricting the standard of barrelage and by using substitutes.

Mr. Clynes declared that under three per cent, of the solid food of the nation would be used as brewing material.

SIAMESE MILITARY MISSION YISITS ENGLAND.

LONDON, Mar. 13. An important Siamese military mis-themselves for re-election. sion, headed by Major-General Phya

Germany states that the aviators, Bhijai Janridh, who represented Siam at Lieutenants Sholtz and Wookey, have The Hague Conference in 1907 and who has also served with the Belgian Army, After visiting various centres of

Two out of the four other members They stated that the rupture with

YON RAUTENFELS AGAIN. ORGANISING PROPAGANDA

IN FINLAND.

COPENHAGEN, Mar. 12. The Dagenenyheter states that Baron von Rantenfels, the ringleader in the bomb plot in Norway, has arrived in Finland in order to organise German anti-Scandinavian propaganda.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, Mar. 12. The death is announced of Lord Blythswood

[Baron Blythswood was the second son of the late Archibald Dauglas, of Mains Co. Dumbarton, who assumed the surname of Campbell on inheriting Blythswood in 1838. He was curate of of Nonington, Kent, 1870-1872; All Saints, Derby, 1872-97; Rector of All Souls, St. Marylebene, 1879-86 and St. Silas, Glasgow, 1887 to 1899.

CAPTURE OF GERMAN DYE RECIPES.

London, January 17 .- Mr. Green, head of the Manchester School of Technology, has made a statement which puts a differ-

Switzerland was entirely uneventful. He did not encounter any romantic adven-

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COMPANY REPORTS

HONOKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK CO., LIMITED.

The Report is as follows :--Gentlemen. -The Directors beg submit their Report and Balance Sheet steadily decreasing, despite the events for the year ending 31st December

> The Gross Profit for, the year, including Premium received on New Shares, is\$ 1,513,504.5 After paying Interest, \$258,565.87; and depre-

ciating Plant, &c., by 175,264.42; and paying Bonus to Staff of there remains a net

and adding amount brought forward as per last Report, \$475,025.55; less Interim Dividend paid 9th October, 1917,

149,857.50

léaves available a sum of.. \$1,351,543. which the Directors recommend to To pay a Final Dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per anuum or \$2.50

Shareholders of \$7.00 per share419,601.00; To transfer to Reserve Fund400,000.00; To carry for ward to new

per share ...\$149,857.50;

To pay a Bonus to

account382,083.84;

DIRECTORS. In accordance with Article No. 90 o situation, Mr. Clynes stated that tonnage Mr. Stanley H. Dodwell and Mr. J. H Wallace retire by rotation, but, being eligible, ofter themselves for re-election-The Hon. Mr. C. E. Antonhaving resigned on leaving the Colony, the Hon. Mr. D. Landale was invited to join the Board

in his place, and this appointment requires confirmation at this meeting. Mr. Stanley H. Dowell has been appointed Chairman for the year 1918. AUDITORS.

The Accounts have been audited by Mr. H. Percy Smith, F.C.A., and Mr. A R. Lowe, F.C.A., who retire and offer

STANLEY H. DODWELL, Chairman.

Hongkong, 12th March, 1918.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LTD.

The Report for Presentation to the Shareholders at the twenty-ninth Ordinary General Meeting is as follows :-The Board of Directors have now to lay before the shareholders a Statement of Accounts, and Balance Sheet for the

year ending 31st December, 1917. The Gross Profit for the year is\$495,255.06

The amount brought for-

After allowing for Dir-

ectors' and Auditors' fees \$ 6,000.00. Writing office. deprecistion on the Company's Buildings, Machinery, Steamer, Launches, Lighters, oc, as per Articles of Association 78,172.08 Donation to War Charties 5,000.00 Writing off for loss in ex-

change on

British 5% War Loan. 21,363.37

which it is recommended should be applied as follows:-To write of Deep Water

Bay Buildings & Machinery, an additional. \$ 15,000.00 To pay a dividend of 80 cents per share...... 320,000.00 To pay a bogus to Staff... 14.284.33

To place to Reserve Fund. 35,000.00 and carry forward to the credit of next years

Meeting Mr. C. E. Anton resigned and the Hon. Mr. D. Landale was in invited In accordance with the Articles of recruiting.

O.M.G. and the Hou. Mr. D. Landale for re-election.

audited by Messrs. F. Maitland and

Hougkong, 3th March, 1918.

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COMPANY MEETING.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

An extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. was hold to day at the offices of the Company. There were present Mesers. S. H. Dodwell (in the chair), W. L. Pattenden, A. Forbes, A O. Lang (Directors), C. Montague Ede (General Manager), E. R. Thomas, P. M. Hodgson, W. R. Mansfield, V. L. de Remedice, A. E. S. Alves, A. A. Alves, M. A. Sours, V. R. U. Ribeiro, B. M. C. da Cunha, J. Gardner and W. Gardner.

The Chairman (Mr. S. H. Dodwell) said that on February 12th at about said the object of the meeting was to 8 p.m., while he was walking along submit for confirmation, as a special Queen's Road in muiti be saw a crowd resolution, the resolution which was of people surrounding constable C395, passed at the extraordinary general who was at the time on duty. Witness meeting of the shareholders held on was had or war paces from the constable at February 14th. He proposed that the the time. He saw the crowd dispersed, provisions or the Company's Memo- and a piece of matting, a counting randum of Association with respect to board and some money were lying on its objects be altered so as to reed as the ground. The constable on duty was shown in the print signed for the purpose holding the deceased by one hand while of identification by the Chairman of the in the other he held the matting, etc. meeting. ...

resolution was unanimously adopted.

EASTERN RUBBER.

PLANTED ACREAGE FIGURES.

The Rubber Growers' Association has been busy for sometime past in collecting information about the planted acreage of rubber, and the result of its efforts has just been distributed to members. The official figure of the association is 1,992,581 acres, which com pares with Rickinson's estimate of 1.861,066 acres. Roughly, then, at the That particular board is used for fantan end of 1916 there were 2,000,000 acres cambling. planted with rubber in the East, of which 'rather more than one half credited to the Malay Peninsula. Leaving out details, the return is as follows:-

South India British North Borneo Dutch East Indies ... 529,712 Grand Total ... 1,992.581

In the Malay Peninsula the area of small holdings is estimated at from 10 to 20 per cent. of the estate figures, and for the purpose of this compilation has been taken at 15 per cent., or 125,000 acres. In the Dutch East Indies 16,800 acres are planted with rubber varieties other than Heven. Figures for the Philippines or Africa are not available Assuming that the whole 2,000,00 acres are brought to bearing, and yield

all over an average of 40 ths. per acre, the total output at maturity of the present planted area in the East will be 357,000 tons, which compares with Rickinson's estimate of 220,000 tons for the current year, and an actual output of 152,000 tons in 1916. On an estimated output of 220,000 tons of plantation was already under arrest. rubber this year the average yield Have you arrested anybody before TICKETS \$5 each HONGKONG CURRENCY, per acre, taking the entire planted for gambling -Yes, I assisted in area of 2,060,000 acres, is 246 for gambling -Yes, I assisted in lbs. This is a substantial average arrests. seems very doubtful whether the average 400 lbs. an acre. Allowance has to be did not take up any cash i-Well, I made for losses by disease and pests,

areas going out of cultivation for one te-son or another, and the lower small boys were busy taking up the standard of output obtained in parts cash. The Association now desires to obtain an accurate census of acreages for the 2,000 000 acres planted. What is planted is the total acreage planted up to the end of 1907, and total put out in each subsequent year. The various Governments of the countries cultivating subber ation, and it is intended to approach them with a view to publishing the

THE CHINESE LABOUR FORCE.

The China Association has undertaken | been in the Colony !--21 years. to raise a sum to enable the Y.M.C.A. to provide for extra comforts for the Chinese Labour Force in France. While gone on in the market-Yes. the material wants-food, clothing, etc. -of the corps are sufficently provided for by H.M. Government, and their general welfare is carefully watched The Belance to be dealt \$499,048.10 over, further provision for social enter-

tainment and recreation similar to that made for British troops in their leisure hours is very desirable. The need of healthy recreation has been recognised in every branch of the combatant service, and the benefits resulting there from in the improved spirit and mora of the men are universally say nowledged. Such recreation is especially needed in the case of the Chinese coolies, who by reason of language, are more or less isolated from their surroundings. It is thought to be a patriotic duty for all interested in China to do everything in their power to cheer and encourage these the underlying objects, and it is an imreturn to China they should carry back with them an appreciation of the good will and friendly interest taken in their welfare. A more immediate consideration is that they should send favourable so-

Association the Hon. Sir Poul Chater, opportunity for rendering immediate and valuable service to these men. It months after, has an effective organization for doing retire, and being eligible offer themselves work of this character, and, if financial support is forthcoming is prepared to undertake it. The Committee of the Auditors. The accounts have been Ohing Association has been asked by the Y.M.O.A. to accist in raising the mocessary junds, and makes a special appeal A. R. Lowe who are eligible for re- for support. At least £20,000 is required. huts (£800 each hut), cinema buildings, no opiates and is perfectly sale to take his area buildings, no opiates and is perfectly sale to take his area buildings, no opiates and is perfectly sale to take his area buildings. and canteen huts desired to be erected For sale by all Chemists and Blone and Blone

DEATH WHILE UNDER ARREST.

CORONER'S INQUEST.

The enquiry into the circumstances attending the death of a Chinese named Chan Ping, who died suddenly whilst under arrest on February 12th, was continued to-day at the Magistracy before Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe lutting as Coroner, with a jury consuling of Messra F. Perry, F. Hall and A. Sepher Mr. L. d'Almada appeared for the wife of the decessed.

Ye Youg Kui, a Chinese constable, The deceased did not refuse to go to Mr. A. FORBES seconded and the the Police Station, but, on the way, when near the station, he dropped and was conveyed to the station in a rickshaw. No crowd followed witness to the station. A woman came into the charge room. The deceased was not a strong men. He was thin and dark.

Mr. d'Almada : Have you seen these cash boards before -Yes.

You will see them in all fish stalls-

Every Chinese shop has one for thepurpose of sale and purchase -Yes

Continuing, witness said that he saw the crowd running away. Mr. A'Almada: A little while ago you said that you saw the crowd surrounding the last witness.—Yes.

So the crowd was there?-At the sight of me the crowd dispersed. You were not there. How did they know that you were a constable?—Some

of then knew. How do you know they knew !-- I heard then say so: They said "one more man is coming." I suspected there was a game of fantan and also that that particular crowd had been gambling, but I made no attempt to arrest them.

They were running away. But you were four or five yards

Did you see any fantan cash I-I saw the crowd throwing away the cash as they were running. I did not see the deceased throwing away the cash. He

As a rule you bring gambling impleratio of increase during the next few ments to the Court in such cases. years will rapidly decline. Moreover, it Notwithstanding that you knew that the yield at maturity will be as much as deceased was arrested for gambling you was engaged in taking the mating. The

And you did not take one single cent,

Mr. Nils, superintendent of the Western Market, said on February 12 there was a large crowd outside have facilities for procuring this inform- and inside the market engaged in gambling. He closed the market at 8 o'clock. It was a usual practice for gambling to go on in the market on

Chinese New Year. The Magistrate: How long have you

During all that time gambling has

In reply to a further quertion. witness said that it was greater this year than in any previous year. As a matter of fact it went on every day. Mr. A. Almada: It is acommon thing

to have a board like this exhibit in the fish stalls !-- It is not common. Is it part of your duty to see that mo gambling is carried on in the market !-Yes except on holidays.

The case w asadjourned.

The last portion of the F. M. S. to the war the market was worth common with the former. Having my Reilway line to Siam, from Bukit Keri 2150,000 annually to British Motor-car solf been in a Junkers whool in to Padang Besar, is nearing completion, exporters and during the twelve months Petrograd, and known many Junkers in and there is a likelihood that through passenger traffic will commence about States sold £13,000 worth of that name in both countries. Junker to When the through service Counts to their treatment in owing to the shortege of rolling stock, bas grown rapidly during recent years, name given to some of landlords, and likely that there will be begins, it will be a very modified affair, more than one passenger train each way daily, till the war is over and for some

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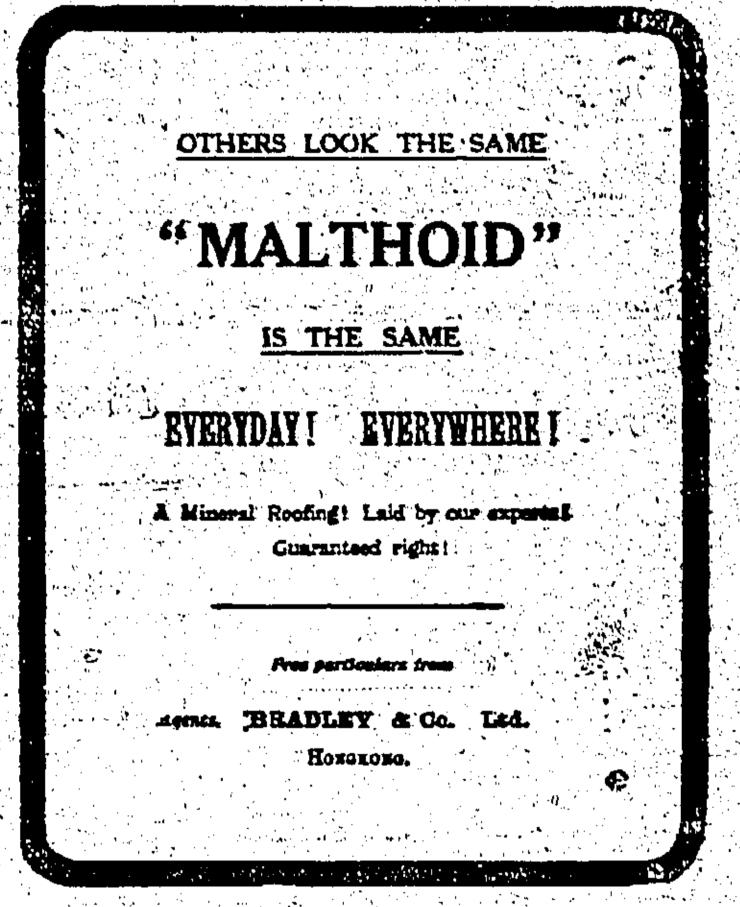
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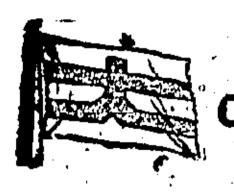
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No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 19th inst., will be subject to rent. All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before

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crosses the head of Spencer's Gulf at (.500,000. By far the greater part of this Mr J. H. Baring Mr G. Ludin Yorkeys Crossing. It then contours the is Dutch money, and it seems a thousand Mrs Z. Baring rising ground to the westward, running through sand rises and gympsum banks, goodwill towards the Allies, difficulties Capt. J. Baxter until a sparsely-timbered plateau gives between the British and Dutch Govern- Mrs E.R. Belilios Mr.A. G. Bellis water in wells for 200 miles. There are step as the complete isolation of this Mr. H. E. Beyer copper outcrops in plenty. Gold has Island. been, and is being, successfully mined There is very little bitterness noticeable Mr.J. D. Birrell on the range at Tarcools, 262 miles as a result of the stoppage. The telegram Mr.C. O. Bohanan west of Port Augusta. From Tarcools received, stating that the Dutch Govern- Mrs A. L. Bouet westward, the country becomes gently ment have decided not to comply with the Capt & Mrs Branch McIntosh undulating, somewhat sandy, developing British Government's demands, seemed Mrs Brand & family Mr J. Merecki at about 380 miles west into a region of generally to give satisfaction in Dutch Mr W. G. Browell parallel sand ridges, as many as five to quarters, which, of course, was only to Mrs J. A. Brown a mile, covered with "black ork," be expected; but the carnest desire of Mr N. Burns "mulga" and "mallee scrub," which, all Dutchmen out here is that a solution Mr L. A. Calderon although there is no surface water, gives of the difficulty will be found, and that Mr A. B. Campbell Mr J. Noguchi to the eye sweeping views of tossing the British Government will remember Mr R. V. Cameron Mr Th. Ollgen greenness, and nullifies the careless term of "desert." At 428 miles from Augusta the route debouches suddenly on to the famous "Nullarbor," an absolutely as France, averaging 600 ft. above the sea-level. If is of limestone formation. covered with a good red soil, growing luxuriantly the salt-bush and bluebush, mest valuable food for stock. For 330 miles on the "Nullerbor"

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world. There is no surface water, but extensive boring is producing fresh water in large quantities. The Western Australian border is reached at about plain ceases as suddenly as it began, and In this conhection I am rather glad, lightly-timbered country accompanies though the banks here are extremely dis. Mr M. Ganjoin the line right into Kalgoorlie. The greatest elevation reached on the route is 1,354 ft. This is a point 107 miles not seem inclined to settle these balances Mrs R. Goldberg from Kalgoorlie, which itself stands at a height of 1,240 ft. above sea-level. On gold, and the negotiations pending do not Mr V. Goulbourn. the whole route there are no steep seem likely to be settled in the way the Mr and Mrs L Gray Mr J. Sellar. ranges to be tunnelled. There are few defiles necessitating deviation. grades are therefore simple. Let it be admitted, therefore, that the proposition was not a difficult one from the point of view of the surveyor. But let it also be remembered that in the "inside" of the Australian Continent "life" is spelt with more letters than in cent. of the payments for Dutch Colonial Europe. For life needs water, and of products is being made by the moneys Mr. and Mrs H. R. Mr G. R. Steele natural surface water there is none in of Great Britain or the Allied Governthe whole stretch of 1,050 miles. When construction commenced, at least 800 miles of the route was entirely unin- support the economic position here would habited. Over the whole route there was be in chaos, their only reply is that if Mr J. C. Henderson Mr F. M. Sutton no local population from which labour they did not want our produce they would Mr and Mrs G. L.Mr C. P. Templeton might be utilised, or food produced for not buy same, and if they buy the pro- Hewith man or beast. Organisation was there-duce they must be paid for it, and in the fore recessary of a kind quite unusual in last resource by the transfer of gold. Mr R. F. Hobson Capt. H. Trowbridge Chargeners. less like an engineering job than the There is no doubt that all the banks are Mr and Mrs Paul Mr K. Tsumaki

NETHERLANDS INDIA.

THE POSITION IN JAVA.

The following are extracts from a letter to London from Java. The writer is well acquainted with all matters commercial and financial in Netherlands India and the statements he makes respecting Engineering, has many transcontinental the stoppage of telegraphic communicarailroads. Some of them are longer than tion will, therefore, be read with

For some weeks past the Dutch banks

and houses had not been able to got into

communication with their principals in Holland, and "vice versa," though Ltd. whence and/or from the Wharves cortain important telegrams had been allowed through win Conulates where transactions affecting the British or Allied Governments weestinvolved. During time British telegrams were coming trade of Java were therefore not so serious as the British advices regarding presented in writing within ten days values of produce, rates of exchange, éte., enabled business to be transacted: The complete stoppage: however, thoroughly disorganised trade and banking here. The general attitude and feeling in broken "gauges. It was decided to sary to exercise prossure, upon Holland have the 4-ft. 84-in. world's standard in such an exceptional way. There is no doubt that the opinion in Java is almost wholly "Pro-Allies," and last week general collections were made for the Red Cross Fund, and it was remarkable how whole-heartedly practically all Dutchmen participated in it, with the Mrs G. R. AndersonMr A. H. Lay result that Java and the outlying Islands Mr Geo. S. Archbutt Mr and Mrs. J. J. will raise, an amount not far short of Mr. and Mrs H. Leiria pities that just after such a mark of Mr H. A. Baxter

that the great bulk of Dutchmen are wholly with the Allies in sympathy, and that they will not alienate that sympathy Mr J. H. Coote. by adopting measures which Dutchmen Capt. & Mrs Corne Mrs E. S. Prather. feel it is almost impossible for their Government to comply with.

The question of the settlement of the The question of the settlement of the Mr & Mrs Courtney Capt. W. Purdy trade balance against England and Mr W. H. Crandall Mr G. T. Ramsey Holland also seems to be causing some friction. Apparently the adverse balance Mr A. H. Donecker, Miss F. Reay was settled last year by Treasury notes, Lt. and Mrs G. C.Mr D. Reichelman and it seems that the leading bankers are unwilling, in view of the likelihood of the Mr and Mrs H. F. Mr H. M. Richards British Government taking over large quantities of sugar, to again have balances | Mme. E. Esnault settled in this manner, or in any other appointed, to notice that America does Mr F. G. Gellion with the Dutch banks by a transfer of Mrs 8. Gossler

banks here would like. It is difficult to get the banks to appre- Miss D. Grimble ciate that in the present abnormal times Miss V. Grimble a give-and-take policy is the only one Mr and Mrs Robt. Mrs M. Slade which is likely to meet the case. If you point to them that probably over 90 per Capt. T.P. Hall ments, and that without their commercial Mr G. Harper Mr H F. Stoneham organisation of a campaign, and Mr. E. provided with the most ample financial Hodgson Mr G. Valmont A. Box, in his article in Engineering, resources, and that the local financial Mr W. E. Hoogewerff Mr Thos. Vint position is such that the industries of MrA. Shelton HooperMiss A. Van Vleck. across the entire island continent with Java can be maintained for a very considerable time without outside assistance. Mr T. A. Hoyt

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PARADES. FRIDAY, 15th instant :-7.30 a.m. Right Half Company, Full Drill at Belchers Eattery.
5.15 p.m. Left Half Company, Full Drill at Bolchers Battory.

Orders for Infantry Battalion by Major H. A. Mergan.

THURSDAY, 14th instant :-4.45 p.m. At King's Park Range, for men wor 50 years of age who have to fire the Special Musketry Course. Dress, drill order with pouches, in Practices 4. 5 and 6 will be fired.

FRIDAY, 15th instant :-5.15 p.m. Nos. 5 and 6 Platoons on Cricket Ground. Platoon Drill. Dress, drill order.

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5.15 p.m. N.C.O.'s at Headquarters. MOUNTED SECTION. THURSDAY, 14th instant:-5.15 p.m. At Jockey Club Stables. Dress, drill order without rifles.

TRIDAY, 15th instant :-

SIGNALLING SECTION. A. FRIDAY, 15th instant:-4.15 pm. Annual Musketry Course, Part 2, Practices 10 and 11, at King's Fark Range. Dress, as above. ERCEUITS.

. FRIDAY, 15th instant:-\$.15 p.m. All units, except "D" Commany, on Murray Parade Ground, under Bergt. Edmonds and Corpl. Grimes. Dress, drill order.

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FRIDAY, 15th instant :--5.15 p.m. Musketry Instruction on Murray Parade Ground, for men not detailed to fire at King's Fark Range as sbove. Sergt. Oxberry will attend.

G. E. STEWART, Captain, Adjutant, H.K. Defence Corps.

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Orders issued by Mr. F. C. Jenkin, D.S.P. (R.).

EQUIPMENT PARADES. All ranks in the Colony, including Exempts and Medical Exempts, are re-

quired to attend with their respective units. They may attend in mufti. At-tention is drawn to Orders of March 12th Units will report at Headquarters Club es set out below :-

Friday, March 15th-At 5.30 p.m. All men of Platoons 1 to 8 who have

not previously attended. Monday, March 18th-Staff, Mounted Police, and Ambulance Platoon. Tuesday, March 19th-Band and Buglers and Drummers.

Wednesday, March 20th-All ranks who have not previously attended. SUPERINTENDENTS AND INSPECTORS. An informal meeting of all Inspectors fs called by the D.S.P. for Monday, March 18th at 5.30 p.m. at Headquarter,

By Order,

T. P. Houon. A.S.P. (R.) and Adjutant

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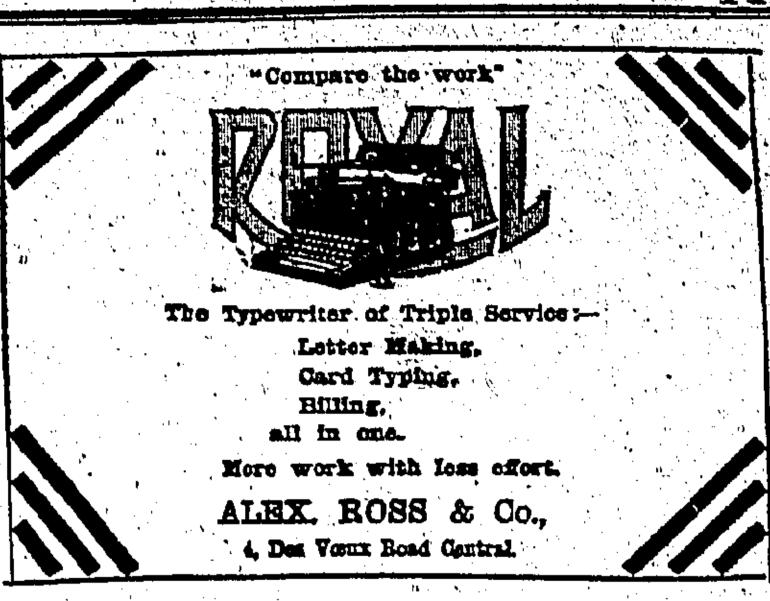
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20 days' sight(private paper)..----

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Hongkong Bainfall for the 24 hour ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.25 inch. Tota since January 1st, 0.28 inche, agains an average of 4.14 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending 1.—Hongkong to Gap Rock: N.H winds, moderate to fresh; fair. 1.—Formora Channel: N. wind

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